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The United Arab Emirates

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1. The United Arab Emirates reaffirm their determination to continue the promotion and protection of human rights and again express their support for the universal periodic review mechanism, as it affords possibilities for exchanging information, experience and best practice with regard to the promotion of human rights.

2. The United Arab Emirates attentively examined the 230 recommendations made in the course of the third cycle of the universal periodic review conducted in January 2018, during the consultations and meetings held by the Standing Committee to follow up the universal periodic review on human rights.

3. Effect has already been given to a good number of the 132 recommendations which have been approved. The United Arab Emirates will strive to implement the remaining recommendations.

4. The United Arab Emirates have taken note of 98 recommendations in the knowledge that many of them require closer consideration and the introduction of a national legislative framework consonant with international standards and instruments, or that they are in part incompatible with Sharia and national law.

5. The following 132 recommendations have been approved:

141.19, 141.41, 141.48, 141.50, 141.51, 141.58, 141.59, 141.60, 141.61, 141.62, 141.63, 141.64, 141.65, 141.66, 141.67, 141.68, 141.69, 141.70, 141.71, 141.72, 141.73, 141.74, 141.75, 141.76, 141.77, 141.78, 141.79, 141.80, 141.81, 141.82, 141.83, 141.84, 141.85, 141.86, 141.87, 141.88, 141.89, 141.90, 141.91, 141.94, 141.95, 141.112, 141.113, 141.114, 141.118, 141.119, 141.121, 141.124, 141.127, 141.128, 141.129, 141.133, 141.134, 141.135, 141.136, 141.137, 141.138, 141.139, 141.141, 141.144, 141.145, 141.146, 141.147, 141.148, 141.149, 141.150, 141.151, 141.152, 141.153, 141.154, 141.156, 141.159, 141.160, 141.161, 141.162, 141.163, 141.164, 141.165, 141.166, 141.167, 141.173, 141.175, 141.176, 141.177, 141.178, 141.179, 141.180, 141.182, 141.183, 141.184, 141.185, 141.186, 141.187, 141.188, 141.189, 141.190, 141.191, 141.193, 141.194, 141.195, 141.196, 141.197, 141.198, 141.200, 141.201, 141.202, 141.203, 141.204, 141.206, 141.207, 141.208, 141.209, 141.210, 141.211, 141.212, 141.213, 141.214, 141.215, 141.216, 141.217, 141.218, 141.219, 141.220, 141.221, 141.223, 141.224, 141.225, 141.226, 141.227, 141.228, 141.229, 141.230.

6. The United Arab Emirates have taken note of the following 98 recommendations:

141.1, 141.2, 141.3, 141.4, 141.5, 141.6, 141.7, 141.8, 141.9, 141.10, 141.11, 141.12, 141.13, 141.14, 141.15, 141.16, 141.17, 141.18, 141.20, 141.21, 141.22, 141.23, 141.24, 141.25, 141.26, 141.27, 141.28, 141.29, 141.30, 141.31, 141.32, 141.33, 141.34, 141.35, 141.36, 141.37, 141.38, 141.39, 141.40, 141.42, 141.43, 141.44, 141.45, 141.46, 141.47, 141.49, 141.52, 141.53, 141.54, 141.55, 141.56, 141.57, 141.92, 141.93, 141.96, 141.97, 141.98, 141.99, 141.100, 141.101, 141.102, 141.103, 141.104, 141.105, 141.106, 141.107, 141.108, 141.109, 141.110, 141.111, 141.115, 141.116, 141.117, 141.120, 141.122, 141.123, 141.125, 141.126, 141.130, 141.131, 141.132, 141.140, 141.142, 141.143, 141.155, 141.157, 141.158, 141.168, 141.169, 141.170, 141.171, 141.172, 141.174, 141.181, 141.192, 141.199, 141.205, 141.222.